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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

8 FRAN DONOVAN,)

9 Plaintiff,)

10 vs.)

11 FLAMINGO PALMS VILLAS, LLC et al.,)

12 Defendants.)

2:08-cv-01675-RCJ-RJJ

13 **ORDER**

14 This case arises out of an alleged conspiracy to defraud investors in a condominium
15 development. The Court previously granted a motion for discovery sanctions by Defendants
16 JPMorgan Chase and EMC Mortgage. (*See* Order, ECF No. 829). Pending before the Court is
17 those parties' proposed order granting related fees and costs. The Court recently determined that
18 it would not assess fees and costs against Plaintiffs, as it is Plaintiffs' counsel who is to blame
19 for any intransigence, and some of the underlying claims in the case may be meritorious.

20 **CONCLUSION**

21 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Proposed Order (ECF No. 847) is REJECTED.

22 IT IS SO ORDERED.

23 Dated: This 9th day July, 2012.

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25 ROBERT C. JONES
United States District Judge